

# Arizona Department of Corrections Inmate Assault, Self-Harm, & Mortality Data

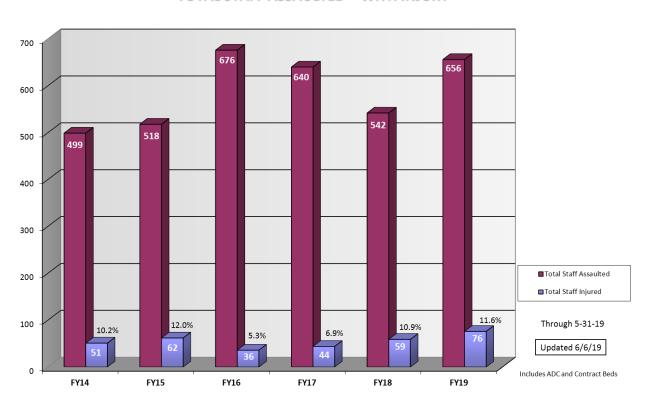
### FY 2019 as of 5/31/2019

#### **INMATE ASSAULTS ON STAFF**

	FY09	FY10	FY11	FY12	FY13	FY14	FY15	FY16	FY17	FY18	FY19*
ADC Staff	307	329	362	343	335	412	433	560	545	466	554
**Contract Beds Staff	23	21	20	34	23	41	33	30	35	25	26
Totals	330	350	382	377	358	453	466	590	580	491	580

<sup>\*</sup>FY 2019 as of 5/31/2019

#### **TOTAL STAFF ASSAULTED - WITH INJURY**



<sup>\*\*</sup>Contract Beds represent the lowest custody level (minimum) and two medium security units.

## INMATE ON STAFF ASSAULT CASE SUBMISSION AND DISPOSITION

FISCAL YEAR	F	Y12	ı	FY13	F	Y14	F	Y15	F	Y16	F	Y17	F	- Y18	F	Y19	TOTAL	TOTAL
Submitted for Prosecution		67 69		73 68		62		69		81		56		545	PERCENT			
Convictions	61	91.0%	53	76.8%	62	84.9%	63	92.6%	48	77.4%	51	73.9%	43	53.1%	7	12.5%	388	71.2%
Indicted - Pending Disposition	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	1.6%	4	5.8%	22	27.2%	35	62.5%	62	11.4%
Declined/Dismissed	6	9.0%	16	23.2%	11	15.1%	5	7.4%	12	19.4%	14	20.3%	11	13.6%	2	3.6%	77	14.1%
Pending CA Decision	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	1.6%	0	0.0%	5	6.2%	12	21.4%	18	3.3%
TOTAL	67	100.0%	69	100.0%	73	100.0%	68	100.0%	62	100.0%	69	100.0%	81	100.0%	56	100.0%	545	100.0%

<sup>\*</sup>FY 2019 as of 5/31/2019

Includes ADC and Contract Beds

CA - County Attorney

Of the 388 convictions since FY 2012, 331 (85.0%) resulted in sentences to be served consecutively; and 50 (13.0%) resulted in sentences to be served concurrently; and 7 (2.0%) convictions not yet sentenced.

#### INMATE DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS RESULTING FROM STAFF ASSAULT

FY	Disc.	Assaults	Disc. Per Assault
2012	478	377	1.27
2013	428	358	1.20
2014	473	453	1.04
2015	550	466	1.18
2016	661	590	1.12
2017	521	580	0.90
2018	474	491	0.97
2019*	499	580	0.86
Total	4,084	3,895	1.05

<sup>\*</sup>FY 2019 as of 5/31/2019; does not include cases that are pending Includes ADC and Contract Beds

#### **INMATE ON INMATE ASSAULTS AND FIGHTS**

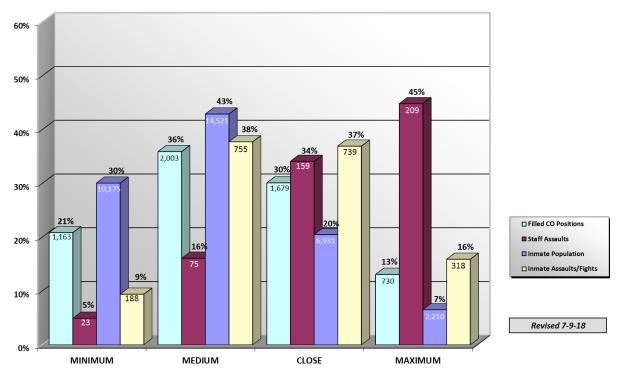
	FY12	FY13	FY14	FY15	FY16	FY17	FY18	FY19*
ADC	1,510	1,623	1,837	2,019	2,229	2,074	2,000	1,815
**Contract Beds	159	135	161	171	151	199	204	217
Totals	1,669	1,758	1,998	2,190	2,380	2,273	2,204	2,032

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#### **Population and Assault-Fight Comparison**

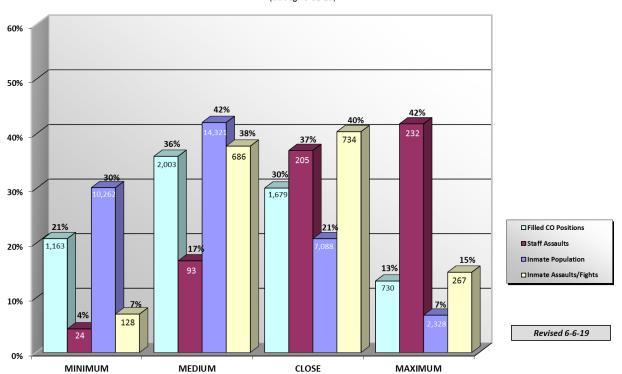
FY 2018



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#### **Population and Assault-Fight Comparison**

FY 2019 (through 5-31-19)



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#### **INMATE SELF-HARM ATTEMPTS BY YEAR AND TYPE**

As of FY 2019, 9/30/2018

FY	CUTTING	OVERDOSE	BLUNT FORCE	HANGING	MISC.	TOTALS
2014	134	121	70	48	6	379
2015	197	146	93	50	13	499
2016	193	101	89	57	12	452
2017	287	138	246	80	12	763
2018	278	214	139	73	4	708
*2019	122	57	40	30	5	254
TOTALS:	1,211	777	667	338	52	3,055

Includes ADC and Contract Beds

Cutting/Burning/Biting: Inflicting cuts, burns, or bites to the skin surface. This would include any level of lethality (superficial, moderate, serious, etc.)

Overdose/Ingestion/Insertion: Ingesting, inserting of substances (drugs/medications/non-edible items, etc.) or foreign bodies.

Blunt Force: Hitting self, head banging, kicking, jumping, etc.

Hanging/Strangulation: Restricting/blocking, or limiting the breathing function/ability.

Miscellaneous: Other methods not otherwise captured in the above definitions.

#### INMATE SELF-INJURIOUS BEHAVIOR AND SUICIDE ATTEMPTS

Because not all acts of inmate self-harm are suicide attempts, the Arizona Department of Corrections (ADC) has adopted a new method of counting acts of inmate self-harm. Based on a review by medical/mental health staff, these incidents will now be categorized as one of the following, based on the definitions below:

- Self-Injurious Behavior Any act of self-harm without the intention to end one's life.
- Suicide Attempt Any act of self-harm with the intention to end one's life.

This distinction will allow ADC to better understand these incidents and continue to refine prevention techniques. The table below displays the new content and format for this information moving forward.

	Self-Injurious Behavior							Suic	id	e Att	em	npt	Unknown	Suicide	<b>TOTALS</b>
FY19 (thru	С	0/I	В	H/S	М	Total	C	0/I	В	H/S	М	Total			
Jul-18															
August															
September															
October	168	15	40	5	2	230	8	3	0	1	0	12	3	1	246
November	130	29	50	8	8	225	2	2	0	1	0	5	0	1	231
December	70	28	37	12	5	152	3	1	0	4	0	8	0	0	160
Jan-19	84	14	24	5	6	133	0	2	0	3	0	5	0	0	138
February	46	17	50	8	0	121	9	6	0	5	0	20	0	0	141
March	61	23	47	8	4	143	2	0	4	1	0	7	0	2	152
April	61	21	41	6	6	135	3	2	0	6	1	12	0	0	147
May	70	12	34	15	7	138	1	2	0	5	0	8	0	2	148
June															
TOTALS		159	323	67	38	1277	28	18	4	26	1	77	3	6	1363

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#### **INMATE DEATHS BY YEAR AND CAUSE**

TYPE	FY 09	FY 10	FY 11	FY 12	FY 13	FY 14	FY 15	FY 16	FY 17	FY 18	FY 19*	Total
<b>Natural Causes</b>	79	67	64	71	66	91	82	102	107	105	85	919
Suicide	6	10	13	6	7	8	6	6	8	7	7	84
Accidental	4	4	5	7	7	3	6	11	15	12	18	92
Homicide	4	5	4	3	3	3	5	6	6	11	1	51
TOTAL	93	86	86	87	83	105	99	125	136	135	111	1,146
ADP	39,626	40,458	40,226	40,011	40,048	41,084	42,132	42,902	42,428	42,113	*42,332	

<sup>\*</sup>FY 2019 as of 5/31/2019

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\*\* Actual inmate population as of 5/31/2019 ADP – Average Daily Population (for Fiscal Year)

Cause of death figures are subject to change based on official medical examiner reports, which may be issued in a subsequent month